Remains of a mobile home hit by the storm

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Attorney General discusses child abuse with Alabama school officials

Attorney General Troy King and our children are ever more reported. The law presumes that recently addressed school offi- vulnerable to predators, abuse reports of child abuse are made cials meeting in Hoover for the and random violence. I am ask- in good faith, and provides School Superintendents of ing every teacher in Alabama to immunity to teachers and others Alabama fall conference, thank- heighten their vigilance so that making such reports. Suspected ing them for their vigilance in we can cast an even stronger child abuse should be reported recognizing and reporting child shield of protection over our to the local office of the abuse and stressing the need for children. If by reading and Department of Human all teachers to remain watchful. studying these child abuse indi-Attorney General King provided cators, our teachers can protect detailed information about even one more child, it will be a behaviors and symptoms that great victory." are indicators of sexual, physi- Under state law, teachers are of child abuse indicators cal and emotional child abuse, among those required to report requested be distributed to all and asked the superintendents to when they know or suspect that state school teachers. This list distribute the materials to teach- a child has been abused or neg- also is available from the web-

a parent of three young children, cion of child abuse, it should be tect.org I am grateful to our teachers for everything they do to keep our children safe," said Attorney General King. "Because teachthey are in a unique position to pected abuse. Sadly, we live in Enterprise native David Columbus,

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*Attorney General King a list

Wachovia names Enterprise ers and school personnel spend native to direct retail banking

see retail employees in the area cial specialist and city president blown open and at least one of to ensure that they are exceeding in Pine Mountain, Ga. goals and delivering exceptional David is a graduate of Troy was partially ripped from its evels of customer service. University where he earned a hinges. Ridgeway most recently bachelor's degree in communi- While the storm has not been

served as retail banking director cations and an MBA in human officially classified as a tornado, for the Greater Georgia West resource management.

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STORM DAMAGE It might be hard to convince Shawn and Venessa Huggins that the storm of last Wednesday was not a tornado. Their home received heavy damage during the bad weather of last Wednesday. A mobile home beside the two story house was picked up and slammed to the ground, totally destroying it. No one was in

notice and act upon cases of sus- Wachovia has named region, which includes the Prior to the storm this house Monroe, had a front porch and white coloincreasingly dangerous times, Ridgeway retail banking direc- Cartersville, Macon, Rome, nial columns. At the time the pictor for the bank's Jackson, Miss. Dalton, Americus, Athens and ture was taken Wednesday, emerand South/Central Ala. markets, Gainesville markets. He has gency personnel had no evidence including Montgomery, Selma, been with Wachovia since 1998 as to where the remains of those Troy, Auburn, Alexander City, and has held the role of financial columns might have landed.

Dothan and the Wiregrass area. specialist leader in metro. The house suffered extensive In his role, Ridgeway will over- Atlanta, as well as senior finan- roof damage, the front door was the doors on the adjoining garage

> description of the sounds and they were classic tornado.

and cultural benefit and devel- identities and local pride; opment. The program began in increased local participation in 2004, and there are now 401 preserving the country's cultural PUBLIC Preserve America designations and natural heritage assets; and in 48 states. Communities, support for the economic vitali-Indian tribes, historic neighbor- ty of communities. For more NOTICES noods in urban centers and information on communities, counties may be designated grants, and other aspects of the All Elba Clipper upon application and meeting initiative oublic notices are ufficient criteria to qualify for www.PreserveAmerica.gov.

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The Preserve America initia- uate of Elba High School. He tive is a White House effort to received his B.S. from the encourage and support commu- University of West Alabama and nity efforts for the preservation Master's of Preservation Studies and enjoyment of America's from Tulane University School priceless cultural and natural of Architecture. His parents are heritage. The goals of the initia- Sue Boggan of Elba, AL and tive include: a greater shared Phillip and Linda Boggan of lowledge about the nation's Andalusia, AL. Phil resides in past; strengthened regional Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

approves new garbage rates by Linda Hodge, Editor reports. During that meeting, a motion was defeated calling for The Coffee County Mobley to be placed on leave. Commission voted Monday. Mobley said the 1996-98

with all internal control meas-

ment for him.

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Nov. 27, to increase solid waste audit, a two-year audit which collection service rates for coun- overlapped, had a finding involving six checks that reportedly Earlier in the year, the com- were deposited in an employee's mission voted to enter into a con- account. He said appropriate tract with Arrow Disposal as the actions were taken when this events actually began early Saturday county's solid waste collection finding was revealed. provider. The new contract Mobley also said the '98-99 resulted in a significant increase audit had no findings, the '99- This proved to be fun and enjoyable in cost with the county paying 2000 audit indicated the Coffee event for all involved Jolly St. Nick

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Shortly after the contract was ures, the 2000-'01 audit revealed accepted, commissioners tabled no instances of non-compliance, a motion to set the new rates for the '01-'02 audit had no findings county residents. A committee of but a recommendation was commissioners eventually was included and the '02-'03 and formed to look at and examine '03-'04 audits found no instances all information regarding the of internal control problems.

commissioner Linda Westbrook this to be an attack on his personsaid the committee had looked at al and professional credibility by the information and was pre- some members of the Coffee pared to make a recommendation County Commission thus creatregarding rates for the garbage ing a hostile working environcollection service.

She made a motion with a sec- Later in the meeting, ond from commissioner J.L. Commissioner Bernest Brooks Weeks to set the rates for resi- said he did not believe the comdents at \$14 per month (\$42 mission had played the game fair

Robert "I don't think you should lam-Commissioner of \$6 for those who pay annually and \$3 for those who pay semi-responded by saying she did not annually for the service. He think the commission is trying to received a second from lamblast anyone. Instead, she Commissioner Tom Grimsley said the commission is aware and the amendment was unani- there is a problem and is trying to mously approved.

Next, commissioners voted on problem. the original motion as amended. County jail administrator Ruth This motion passed by a 6-1 Scheipe reported an incident to vote. Commissioner Jim commissioners that occurred Thompson cast the lone oppos- Wednesday evening, Nov. 22.

Also during Monday's meet- a cellblock and a small fire was ing, county administrator Wilson started.

stem from the previous meeting assistance from deputies, the when Commissioner Grimsley Enterprise Police and the New asked Commissioner Westbrook Brockton Fire Department durto explain several past audit ing the incident.

arrest of a male suspect. resulted

Elba, was arrested Monday, Harrison said the victim indicat-

Reed was charged with theft accusation.

Nov. 20, after a female victim ed she exited a store on Martin accused him of hitting her and Luther King Drive and the sus-

taking her purse, according to pect knocked her to the ground, Elba Police Chief Freddy hit her and took her purse. Harrison said Reed denied the

Elba, Alabama Thursday, November 30, 2006 1 Section, 14 Pages Plus 3 Adv. Inserts Coffee County Commission Elba enjoys annual Christmas Festival and Parade

The Elba Chamber of Commerce hosted the annual Elba Christmas Festival and Parade last Saturday, Nov. 25, in downtown Elba.

Among the day's features was beautiful weather as many were heard throughout the day making remarks about mother nature's The annual Christmas Festival

morning as youngsters were invited to enjoy "Breakfast with Santa." Arrow \$78,000 per month for the County Commission complied also took time to have photos made with those who participated in

Activities on the square began around 9 a.m. as many arts and crafts and food vendors set up shop for the

The day's entertainment began at 10 a.m. with the Miss Christmas At the conclusion of his pageants. At noon, "Storytime with During Monday's meeting, review, Mobley said he considers Mrs. Claus" caught the attention of many as youngsters were invited to Above: "Storytime with join Mrs. Claus on stage for the read- Mrs. Claus" captured lots ing of stories.

The Elba Elementary School SGA Nov. 25, during the annual wowed the crowd with their presen- Elba Christmas Festival. tation of the short play, "The Very Several children joined Bestest Christmas Present" while Mrs. Claus on stage for the other entertainment included: a reading of Christmas stocountywide children's choir singing ries. The youngsters also songs from the "Arctic Edge" enjoyed candy canes pro-Vacation Bible School, a community vided by Mrs. Claus. to commission staff.

adult choir singing various Right: The annual Elba Stephens offered an amendment blast someone for not being on Christmas songs, the Dixieland Christmas Parade created to the motion to include a credit top of everything," he said. Cloggers and the SheBang dance The day's activities concluded last Saturday evening. The with the annual Christmas parade. City of Elba float featuring The highlight, of course, was an Miss Elba queens was appearance by Santa Claus. He was among the entries. Shown chauffeured through town by mem- are Little Miss Elba bers of the Elba Fire Department. Maddie Chandler, Junior Additional scenes from the Miss Elba Meagan

do what is best to correct the Christmas Festival and Parade can Anderson and Miss Elba be found on pages 13 and 14. She said there was a lockdown in

Mobley invited any taxpayer to Scheipe said there was a lot of come by the commission office smoke in the cell block but no and review any audit report on injuries resulted. She also said there was no major damage.

Mobley's invitation seemed to Scheipe said the jail received

Elba man arrested following domestic incident Officers with the Elba Police domestic violence, second

Department responded to the degree. Officers said the domesscene of a domestic incident tic violence charge was second recently which resulted in the degree because physical injury MacArthur Reed, age 46, of Elba Police investigator Tony

tus of several projects. Hammond was absent. Elba City School Board to fill Hooks was correct. Calhoun, who recently resigned. unanimously.

lots of holiday excitemen

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by Ferrin Cox, Publisher

Officer Dean Blair currently

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tive) years employment. His

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tract with attorney Terry Butts to was nearing completion. He also cated they planned to attend.

Wise to fill school board vacancy represent Elba in filing for dam- noted that the Beaver Dam proj-

ages if suspected ground con- ect was moving briskly.

Elba City Council appoints Gappa

The Elba City Council met tamination is shown to have Grimes also announced the Monday evening, named a caused extensive environmental Elba Fire Department has forschool board member, entered damages to local soils. Before mally filed for an ISO review. A into a contract with an attorney making a motion to accept the positive finding by this review in an effort to collect from some contract, council member Tom board will result in lower fire potential environmental dam- Hooks commented that there insurance costs for Elba properages and was updated on the sta- was no liability nor cost to Elba ty owners. Grimes said certain taxpayers in entering this con- paper work is required to be Council member Ronnie tract. Mayor James Grimes said submitted by the police departthe contract had been reviewed ment, water department, fire Gappa Wise was named to the by the city attorney and that department and others before the actual inspection takes the unexpired term of Katrina The motion was approved place, but that work is ongoing

The term expires in June of City Clerk Wayne Grantham The city employee Christmas reported that the cosmetic work Party is set for December 6th The council agreed to a con- on the completed sewer project and all council members indi-



Officer Dean Blair

service also has allowed him to several areas of law enforce- Away from the department,

serve the community through ment to include: Certified Officer Blair serves as an active the Alabama Department of D.A.R.E. Officer, Advanced member and deacon of Basin Investigation, Skid-Car, School NASCAR races, and of course, Melonee, and son, Brian.

of property, first degree, and Reed is out of jail on bond.

The Elba Chamber of Commerce sponsored a ribbon cutting Monday, Nov. 20, for Tammy's Barber Corrections, the Coffee County School Resource Officer, Baptist Church, His hobbies & Style, located at 510 W. Davis Street in Elba. Those present for the ribbon cutting ceremony includ- Sheriff's Department as a Draeger Alcotest, Death include camping, attending ed (from left to right): Kaye Whitworth - executive director of the Elba Chamber of Commerce, Nathan deputy and as Chief of Police Notification, Child Death Alabama football games, Carroll, Kenneth Calhoun, Rene Lambert, Barry Giles, Kay Mack, Elba Mayor James Grimes, Josh for the Town of Brantley. Mack, Drew Mack, Tammy Mack - owner, Don Mack, Makenzie Wambles, Jackie Mack, Little Miss Officer Blair has Crisis Management and spending time with his wife, Elba Maddie Chandler, Eva Medlock and Herby McCall.

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That stand up comic, Michael Richards, who made an utter fool Library to help raise funds for Therefore, she said fund raisof himself after some patrons in the club he was working commented about his jokes not being funny, is still trying to dig out The most interesting part of tion help the library provide of that mess. In our opinion he was either high on something or this particular silent auction is additional materials library panicking because his funnyman career was going nowhere. We the materials available for bid, it users want. She also said the agree with the opinion of a woman on one of the news programs designed by local people. able to purchase for its users, the we caught on the tube during the weekend. She was as mad as anyone about his, and others, use of the "N" word but was even paintings, prints, pottery, wood Without raising additional more upset at his feeble efforts to make excuses for his action (or carvings, etc. reaction). In her opinion it was time for him to shut up. This lady The paintings was equally strong in her opinion that her fellow minorities who and prints feawere talking about suing for money damages over what hap- ture scenes of pened that night were just money hungry folks and they should n a t u r e drop their efforts also. We agree with this comment.

The Elba Christmas parade last Saturday appeared to be a great Elba High success, as did the festival which lasted all day. The parade in School and particular seemed to attract a greater crowd than in most years... much more. and the weather was great. Of course our parade opinions came through the eyes of two grandchildren. To them the only thing better than the float that was passing us was the next one in the Library in the ongoing silent auction are currently taking orders.

Kay Wilson, High School building was done by Betty Hudson. It is painted on a portion of blackboard on a portion of blackboard. Wilson said better than the float that was passing us was the next one in the Library, is from the old school building. line. It is thrilling to watch such youthful excitement and realize excited about that alas, we once were probably just as thrilled and filled with the silent auction which will appreciative of the support it Christmas Festival, and a few anticipation. Doggone it, we need to remember "we don't lose continue through Friday, Dec. receives from the city and items already seem to have geninterest in such things because we get old, we get old because we 15. Not only will it help gener- through state aid, but there is erated a battle between bidders.

The University of Alabama is looking for a new football coach, to show off the talents of some most current materials for those between now and Friday, Dec. but that is no surprise to many Alabama football followers. The of Elba's citizens handwriting was on the wall. We find people in Elba amazed at how much money Mike Shula will continue to get from the university, even after being fired. This amount has resulted in a number of local volunteers wanting to take the job, get themselves fired and grin all the way to the bank with their extra millions for failing to produce the desired football program. Even people who don't know about football are willing to take the abuse long enough for the ink to dry on their sweet contract. Many feel they have a fighting chance at the job, because short of raising Bear Bryant from the dead, there is no clear favorite coach vying for the position. In fact several who have had their name mentioned very quickly let it be known they were not interested but that is before the checkbooks are pulled out.

Piba Police Report

The Elba Police Department, Fire Department dispatched in beginning Monday, Nov. 20, response to a fire alarm at 2162 Those interested in wildlife paintings surely will be interested in thru next week! 2006, investigated the following County Rd. 239 (3:47 p.m.); this painting done by Pam Crittenden. incidents: two for harassment, Disturbance reported at 907 one for harassing communica- Forest St. (6:03 p.m.). tions, three for domestic vio- THURSDAY, NOV. 23 lence, one for theft, one for driv- Coffee County EMS dispatched ing under the influence, one for to 207 Fox Dr. (2:40 p.m.); glary, two for public intoxica- Grantham Dr. (10:42 p.m.) tion, one for a gas drive-off, one FRIDAY, NOV. 24 - Coffee for a medical call, two for theft County EMS dispatched to 4402 of property and one for breaking Hwy. 125 (6:12 p.m.).

and entering a motor vehicle. SATURDAY, NOV. 25 - HUGGINS FAMILY The following arrests were Coffee County EMS dispatched Our family would like to made: two for theft of property, to 213 Taylor Ave. (1:15 a.m.); express our appreciation to one for domestic violence, one Disturbance reported in the area everyone in the community for for driving under the influence, of Jackson St. (10:18 a.m.); all of your support during this one for criminal mischief, two Coffee County EMS dispatched time. For everyone who brought for public intoxication and one to Simmons St. (10:54 a.m.); supplies, made donations, called

Traffic citations issued during Elba Shell on Claxton Ave. thought about our family and the week were as follows: one (8:43 p.m.). for driving on the wrong side of SUNDAY, NOV. 26 the road, four for speeding and Domestic disturbance (verbal) Shawn, Vanessa, Hayden, Daily activity highlights for (12:20 a.m.); Prowler reported the week were as follows: at 1053 Sunset Blvd. (1:14

MONDAY, NOV. 20 - Coffee a.m.); Coffee County EMS dis-County EMS dispatched to 1468 patched to 164 County Rd. 239 County Rd. 321 (3:37 p.m.); (6:06 a.m.); Disturbance Coffee County EMS dispatched (unwanted guest) reported at to 2449 County Rd. 109 (5:07 610 Mullins Circle (6:18 a.m.);

TUESDAY, NOV. 21 - patched to a vehicle fire on Possible domestic disturbance Hwy. 84 W. (4:09 p.m.); Coffee reported at 6813 County Rd. County EMS dispatched to 5276 410 (7:35 p.m.); Possible Hwy. 125 (4:27 p.m.); Coffee domestic disturbance reported at County EMS dispatched to 1468 718 Simmons St. (8:42 p.m.); County Rd. 321 (6:32 p.m.); Burglary reported at 509 Smith Burglary (vehicle) reported at

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 22 - Claxton Ave. (7:31 p.m.). Wreck reported at the intersection of Simmons St. and Claxton Ave. (10:31 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to the wreck at the intersection of Simmons St. and Claxton Ave. (10:35 a.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched to the Big/Little on E. Davis St. (11:29 a.m.); Wreck reported on Yelverton St. (12:39 p.m.); Elba

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Elba Fire Department dis-

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EDITORIAL

by Linda Hodge, Editor demands we have for books A silent auction currently is with funds from state aid," inderway at the Elba Public Wilson said.

The local artwork includes more people will use the library. life, the old

This painting of the old Elba

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said a prayer, thank you so

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Fight in progress reported at the 'to offer assistance, or just

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aid it is hard o keep up demands for estsellers. and she

Local artists share their talents to help raise funds for Elba Public Library

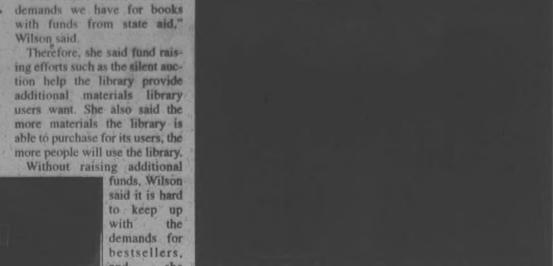
ate funds for the library, but always a need for more to be Wilson said she hopes more Wilson said it is nice to be able albe to provide the best and people will stop by the library

of the items. 4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 15.

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would like to This painting by Janice McCall features a familiar scene from mprove the beautiful Elba. McCall painted it from a photo taken of the Pea library's sci- River as seen from the Hwy. 84 bridge.

Several of the items included ing available for purchase. They Wilson said were displayed Saturday, Nov. the library is 25, during the annual Elba BULLETIN BOARD

15, to place a bid on one or more

She said potential bidders can come by the library to place a bid on an item(s). After they make an initial bid, Wilson said the bidder can call the library staff to keep updated on the bid process. Bids will be taken until • ELBA CITY COUNCIL -2nd & The library also has prints of the old Elba High School build-

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Harris family celebrates 100 years of memories

Bobby and Lynn Baker hosted the descendants of Clyde and Zera Spurlin Harris on Thanksgiving Day in Elba at the Baker barn. This year's Thanksgiving celebration was especially monumental as 'Mama Harris" would have been 100 years old.

In memory of her, family members put together a cookbook and family directory. The 83-page cookbook was aptly named "Clotheslines and Scuppernong Vines"; two vivid reminders of times spent with Mama Harris.

The cover of the cookbook depicts a painting by her youngest daughter, Betty Hudson. The painting portrays the house formerly located on Smith Avenue that was home to Mama Harris and all family members remember. A special section in the cookbook features

decorated with pictures of the canning jars, quilts and tomatoes. playground in downtown Elba. A clothesline featured aprons and Guests traveled to Elba for the baby blankets made by the oldest celebration from Montgomery,

daughter Edith Vaughan. A special picture of Mama Brundidge and Prattville. Harris as a young girl graced On March 31, 1905, Zera each table along with copies of Alma Spurlin was born to John the newly published cookbook. and Catherine Spurlin. She mar-Family members and guests ried Clyde Harris and together enjoyed videos of old family pic- they had six children - all girls: tures put together by John Edith Harris Vaughan of Dispennette of Wetumpka. Ellen Harris Castater of

Prior to the noon meal, those Jacksonville, Fla. (deceased), attending joined hands for a spe- Wayne Harris Barbaree of cial prayer time and reflections Brundidge, Ala., Jane Harris of the past year. The blessing was offered by Matthew Vaughan, graduate student at Abilene Christian University.

Seventy family members and friends enjoyed the traditional Thanksgiving meal complete with turkey, dressing, ham, barbeque pork and all the vegetables you could imagine. As is the family custom, the dessert table overflowed with signature



ing by Mama Harris' youngest daughter, Betty Hudson. The painting portrays the house formerly locat-The Baker barn was festively ed on Smith Avenue in Elba that was home to Mama Harris and all family members remember.

family and other memorabilia desserts and family favorites. Hudson, Ann Harris Davis and daughters, 14 grandchildren and and memories of Mama Harris After lunch, younger family Betty Harris Hudson, all of Elba. four great-grandchildren. She is and days gone by including members especially enjoyed a Mama Harris passed away buried at Evergreen Cemetery in washtubs, milk bottles, beeswax, trip to TigerTown Park, the new March 31, 1972 leaving six Elba.

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Hudson of Troy and Lonnie Montgomery (deceased), Mary

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Atlantic coast of Canada at 7:30 A.M. on the morning of December ter's arrival, while daylight revealed a brilliant, clear day.



Floating in Halifax harbor were hundreds of ships, waiting to ferry to pull up its anchor, and begin to leave the harbor for New York City. At the same time a French munitions ship, named the Mont Blanc, was entering the harbor. At 8:45 A.M., the two ships collided in the narrow harbor entrance.

spread across its deck. The ship lost its steering, and began drifting 5, 1917. The frosty air reminded Hallfax's 65,000 residents of win-helplessly towards the nearby docks. Only the crew knew their cargo contained over 2,500 tons of deadly explosives.

A few seconds before 9:05 A.M., fire and cargo became one, and the resulting explosion destroyed everything within a mile and a half of ground zero. The ship's three thousand pound anchor sailed more than two miles through the air before returning to earth. Fifty miles inland, windows shattered in the town of Truro.

As dazed survivors struggled to their feet, a glant wave roared in thousand injured. Over 3,000 buildings lay in ruins.

the troops, munitions, and supplies to The Great War in Europe. At Seconds before he died, dispatcher Vince Coleman warned incom- Would you like to learn more about the Halifax Explosion? sunrise, the navy opened the anti-submarine nets used to seal the ing trains of the impending disaster. Word spread quickly, and by Take The Web Journey. harbor entrance at night. This allowed the Belgian relief ship Imo early afternoon rescue workers and medical personnel began arriving. Within forty-eight hours, the first relief train bearing doctors, nurses. Next Week! and supplies arrived from Massachusetts.

special bond. The people of Hallfax never forgot the help received. from their Massachusetts cousins. Assistance included medical teams, rescue workers, and over \$10,000,000 (in present day dollars)

To show their everlasting gratitude, the people of Halifax donate a Christmas tree to the people of Boston every year. Lovingly trimmed, the dazzling decoration stands throughout the festive



ver Hallface Dec. 6, 1917. Courtesy of the National Archives of Can ada from the harbor. Watching it approach, survivors desperately season in Boston's Prudential Plaza. To the who know its history. braced themselves against anything still standing. The explosion—the tree serves as a reminder of the American generosity that and the wave killed more than 1,600 people, with a further nine helped victims survive and prosper following one of the world s

Signal Hill in Newfoundland is the easternmost point in North America. Learn what happened there on December 12, 1901 and While people, supplies, and aid poured in from as far away as China, how it helped save the lives of 700 passengers on the Titanic:

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ARRIVAL

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Bailey and Arleen Brunson

announce the birth of their

daughter, Nancy Rachel

She was born November 15,

2006 at Providence Hospital in

Mobile, Alabama. She weighed

6 lbs. 10 oz. and was 19 inches

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Pridgen and

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Pyfrom of

Elba. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marion Brunson of

Rachel is welcomed by her

three brothers: Trey, Fox, and

Camden Eamar Moore cele-

brated his 2nd birthday on

Camden celebrated with a

family party at his home. His

cousins, aunts and uncles, and

grandparents all played games

and enjoyed his Dale Jr. cake,

The kids all got to help

Camden and his big sister

Brookelyn feed the horses and

Camden is the son of Randle

and Sonya Moore of Kinston.

He has a big sister Brookelyn

His grandparents are Randle

and Sandra Moore of Opp and

Silas and Mary Simmons of the

His great-grandparents are

Doug and Mary Hawthorne of

Kinston, and Jeanette Simmons

ice cream, chips and dip.

they all enjoyed that.

who is 3 years old.

Victoria Community.

of Victoria Community.

The home of Charlie and Mary Merritt in Tartan Pines is complete-

Breakfast with Santa and a Christmas

Tour of Homes to be held in Enterprise

allow Mary to move throughout the house in her wheelchair.

ly handicapped accessible. It was designed and custom built to

October 9, 2006.

NANCY RACHEL

BRUNSON

Brunson.

Camden Lamar Moore celebrates

Mr. Marler & Miss Morris

second birthday

LIPESTYLES



L to R: Mrs. June Flowers, Mrs. Vicki Farris, Miss Kerri Myers-honoree, Mrs. Teresa Myers and Mrs.

Miss Kerri Myers honored with miscellaneous bridal shower on Sunday, November 12

Many friends gathered at the er of the future groom; Miss was served by Mrs. Susan The "Hometown First Baptist Church of Elba Kerri Myers, the honoree; Mrs. Rhodes and Mrs. Laura Terrell.

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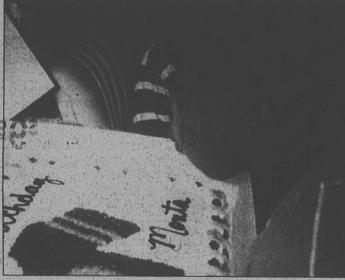
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Fellowship Hall for a miscella- Teresa Myers, mother of the Hostesses for the occasion Tastes" cooking contest neous bridal shower honoring bride elect; and Mrs. Miriam were Cindy Carnley, Jane Cash, Miss Kerri Myers, bride-elect of Farris, grandmother of the Nancy Crowe, Ann Davis, Betty Mr. Greg Bowers, on Sunday, future groom, Guests enjoyed Joyce Ellis, Beth Henderson, November 12, 2006. Miss mingling and viewing the wide Evelyn Hocutt, Cynthia Hulgan, Rachael Morrow presided over assortment of gifts displayed Doris Mallory, Sue Mitchum, be held Monday evening, the registry table which was throughout the room. They also Jean Moore, Angela Morrow, December 4, 2006. covered with a Battenburg cloth. enjoyed many delicious refresh- Merlene Owens, JoAnne Parker, After registering, guests were ments. The food table, decorat- Susan Rhodes, Denise Sauls, greeted by Mrs. June Flowers, ed with a basket of fruit and Sara Sharpless, Martha Frances the recipe of the dish you wish grandmother of the future other beautiful fall decorations, Stephens, Lillian Taylor, Laura to enter to the Coffee County groom; Mrs. Vicki Farris, moth- had cheese straws, mixed fruit, Terrell, Elaine Thompson, Extension Office no later than and chocolate covered strawber- Judith Tucker, Joan Ward, Linda November 28. The address is: ries for the guests to enjoy. Westbrook, and Annie Laurie Coffee County Extension Cake was served by Mrs. Wright. Angela Morrow and the punch



Monta King

Monta King celebrates 9th birthday Monta King celebrated his 9th and Antonio Hill, his sister and birthday party Saturday evening brother Megan and JaJuan King, with a few of his football team- and his cousins, Raheem

mates: Deshawn Robinson, Newson, Sambria Hill, and Cavosea Stinson, Ja Jordan, De. Dynasty Stoudemire. Quan Jordan, Juandarius Reed, He is the son of Jo Anne King and Chris Thigpen.





8th Grade: Kelli Behrens,

8th Grade: Sarah Allen,

Nicole Holloway

Amber Grissett

Clyde & Sadie

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Morris-Marler wedding planned for Saturday, January 6th

John Douglas Marler and Anna Wiggins Morris announce heir engagement and forthcom-

The future groom is the son of Mickey Marler of Opp and the late Kim King. He is the grandson of Judy King and the late Rann King and Peggy and Ed Guillion, all of Elba. The future bride is the daugh-

ter of Gloria and Daron Maloy f Elba and Bill and Diann Wiggins of Enterprise. She is the granddaughter of Lois Maddox and Horace Wiggins and the late John and Jean rescott, all of Opp. The wedding will be January

6, 2007 at 5:00 p.m. in the Wedding Chapel of Ino Baptist Church. A reception will follow the ceremony in the Church Family Center. All family and friends are

set for December 4

The "Hometown Tastes" cooking and crafts contests will To enter the recipe contest,

Office, 5 County Complex, New Brockton AL 36351. Also, bring the prepared recipe to the Community Room by 4:30 p.m. Monday, December 4th for judging and tasting. The recipe should serve at least twelve (12) and judging will begin at 5 p.m. Winners will be named in the categories of Casseroles, Meats,

For the craft contest, bring crafts to the Community Room by 4:30 p.m. Any type of craft may be entered and the categories will be: ages 12 and under and ages 13 and older. There is no entry or admission fee for contestants. However, there will be a slight entry fee for all others in attendance. Everyone is invited to attend and sample the food and take a look at the



The weekend of December 2- assistance of Jennifer's sister, a HONOR ROLL 1st Nine Weeks

Kayla Tracy

Gibson, Blake Hendricks, 7th Grade: Ashleigh DeSandro, Camery Matthews, Lydia Mills, its second annual "Breakfast home. Visitors can travel Huey Green, Cheyenne Nelson, Amelia Pettry, Kayla Pope, with Santa" event at the around the world without ever Christa Rushing, Derrick Enterprise Civic Center on leaving Enterprise in the home Sanders, Blake Walden Hillarie Davis, Erin Dismukes, 9th Grade: Weston Brown, breakfast with Santa and to clue tery from Poland. Kayla Hurd, Faith Ketchan Sierra Bush, Aaron Grant, him in as to those gifts that they Also on the tour will be Heather Hines, Logan Leverett, so desire to be under the Carlisle's on Main which has 9th Grade: Dillon Davis, Nicole Mauldin, Shane Nelson, Christmas tree this holiday sea- recently reopened under the Hillary Davis, Becca Hodge, Landon Peters, Joshua Richards, son. There will be a charge for ownership of daughter-mother, Kirsten Shiver, Brittany this event and for pictures taken Molly Swasey and Doris Heather McCollough, Alyssa Simmons, Garrett Stinson, with Santa.

Janie Hall, Jessica Lee, Drew include five homes and one tour participants. 11th Grade: Stephanie Collier, Little, Cristen Patterson, Steven commercial site.

Brittany Dismukes, Luke Peters, Pettry, Ashley Quattlebaum, Tour participants are Charlie chased from any Pilot Club Casey Rushing, Brittany and Mary Merritt, 506 Tartan member and at Merle Norman 12th Grade: Erica Lewis, Tankersley, Leana Vinson, 108 Brentwood Place; Sal and downtown Enterprise and at the 11th Grade: Michael Drive; Jennifer and Anna Tickets will also be sold the day Bernasconi, Stephanie Berry, DeSchepper, 211 Alberta Street; of the tour. 7th Grade: Lawson Amlong, Brittany Cardwell, Jessica and Billy and Bernadette Patrick J. Benton, Ashton Dean, Carroll, Cassandra Cole, Raigan Haskins, 206 Daleville Avenue.

Logan Elliot, Matthew Griffis, Elliot, Tori Hodge, Sheena The Merritt home will feature Charlsie Little, Erica Logan, Hussey, John Wayne Lambert, a 9-foot tree in the great room LeAnna Miles, Courtney Brittany Layton, Rod Rider, decorated in gold, red, and green Napper, Kelsey Nelson, Jacob Brooke Stinson, Rebecca ornaments and ribbons. The Senn, Caleb Walden, Zack Thompson, Caitlin White, Harry home of Matt and Kristin Reed will feature Christmas decorations with the subtle theme of Brandon Barnhill, Will Bedsole, 12th Grade: McKinley Arnette, "The Twelve Days of Shelby Boswell, Michelle Todd Grant, Kala Killingsworth, Christmas" with clues located Downing, Hayden Ellis, Paige Jenna Mobley, Heather Reeves throughout the house. With the

3 provides an opportunity to florist/decorator, the catch the holiday spirit with DeSchepper home will be deco-"Breakfast with Santa" and a rated using classic and tradition-Christmas Tour of Homes-with al Christmas decorations in both events benefiting service green and red. The home of projects for the Pilot Club of Billy and Bernadette Haskins will have handmade "Dandy" The Pilot Club will sponsor Santa Clauses throughout the Saturday, December 2, from 8 to of Sal and Fran Frenda with tap-11 a.m. for area children to eat estries from Belgium to the pot-

Burton. Christmas decorations The club will hold its annual will abound in the various Christmas Tour of Homes on themed rooms and the famous 10th Grade: Kirsten Collins, 10th Grade: Carol Ann Banks, Sunday, December 3, from 1 to Molasses Crinkle cookies and Cory Carter, Caitlin Grissett, 5 p.m. This year's tour will holiday punch will be served to

Fran Frenda, 2702 Woodcliff Citizens Bank, Eastside Branch.

Deadline For Social News Is Monday!

CHURCH & COMMUNITY NEWS

PASTOR'S CORNER **Rev. Stanley Carter**

Elba United Methodist Church

A Great Church

A great church is not necessarily great because of its large mem- Jesus' birth and the events surbership. It is great because the members form a Christ-centered rounding it are viewed from cars 9th Episcopal District ING FOR YOU: Marie Tillis, Worship will begin at 7 p.m. on covenant community. A great church cares about the spiritual and driving through the church parkcovenant community. A great church cares about the spiritual and driving through the church parkRobert Belcher, Warren Bel are willing to sacrifice and get the job done for the good of the team characters in costume, with set for December 1-2 Mary E. Holley, Ronica Berry contact: Kelvin Burks-(334) without worrying about who gets the credit.

All avid football fans have heard of "The Four Horsemen of Notre Dame." These men played for Coach Knute Rickne from 1922
Pleasant Shade to host Missionary Society (WMS) of SARIES: Kanika Tahirah (Ki Thomas- (334) 566-1035. any person who can name one of the four. Elmer Laden, the fullback, was the largest at 162 lbs. Kim Crowley, the guardback, was Pleasant Shade Baptist Episcopal District WMS (State Paul and Charlotte Whitehurst- grateful. the smallest, weighing 155. Don Miller, the right halfback, weighed Church will host a Outreach Of Alabama) Annual Meeting November 27 (Wedding 160 and Harry Stuhldseher, the left halfback, weighed 155.

These four players played together as a cohesive unit, blocking Banquet on Saturday, December Wiregrass Rehabilitation Center Whitehurst-November 27, A. R. for one another, and were described as "four different persons fused"

9, 2006 at 6:00p.m. The event in Dothan. The worship services will be at the Enterprise Civic.

Whitehurst-November 21, A. R. Williams-November 27, A. R. together into a single unit." When they discovered fame and will be at the Enterprise Civic on Friday, December 1 will Audrey M. Bennett-November became All-Americans, they became cocky. Coach Rockne substituted the entire front line one game and they couldn't make a first tuted the entire front line one game and they couldn't make a first to everyone. The message will be Dr. Gertie M. Lowe, President, Alabama Missionary Winnie James-November 30 down. Jim Crowley later said, "we Four Horsemen were nothing Baptist State Women's without the Seven Mules up-front."

Each church member is important. You have a position to play. You can learn about that position each Sunday during Sunday Fikes 334-393-5861, Ms. School and Worship at one of our wonderful churches here in Elba. Crittenden 334-347-5432 or Mr. enjoy workshops, business ses-Go to church Sunday.

St. Luke United Methodist Church

to have Drive -Through Live Nativity St. Luke United Methodist Luke United Methodist Church Church in Enterprise will host a to the community. Everyone is Drive-Through Live Nativity. invited to come and share in this The nine-scene event will be celebration of Christmas. held on Saturday and Sunday, St. Luke United Methodist

The nine scenes depicting School.

Ministry Annual Christmas on December 1-2, 2006 at the Anniversary), Willie Mac President, Alabama Missionary be brought by the Reverend

Weldon 334-393-6142.

A DUAL ENROLLMENT HISTORY CLASS AT NEW BROCKTON HIGH SCHOOL recently visited the Enterprise Campus of Enterprise-Ozark Community College. The students gave presentations on Antebellum, Civil War, and Reconstruction periods in Alabama in particular. "The purpose of this assignment was to approach history in a different way and allow the students to education themselves about the topic," says instructor Mr. Tom Hartzog, Jr. "They gained exposure to research techniques and public speaking." Pictured on the first row from left to right are Mr. Hartzog, Josh Lindley, Mallory Meissner, Emilee Dunn, Monica Largess, Colton Bastion, Josh Roberts, and Kendall Person. Pictured on the second row from left to right are Daniel Kelley, Bethany Milligan, Aaron Pope, Shay Carpenter, Callie Hollis, and Megan Grosland. The Dual Enrollment program through EOCC offers courses at the postsecondary level to high school students, who also receive high school credits for the

course. The program allows the students to get a head start on their college courses.

IN HIM WAS LIFE AND THE LIFE WAS THE LIGHT OF MEN WAS THE WEST SUNDAY SCHOOL 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship. 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service. 7:00 p.m.

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Street, near Enterprise High

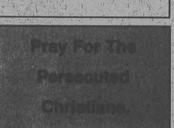
scenery and live animals. Church will host the 9th

Alabama and Mrs. Hattie Nathan, President of the 9th Episcopal District WMS, will oversee the weekend activities. ROCKY South Conference WMS MISSIONARY BAPTIST and her South Conference team,

On Saturday, registrants will

Come Join Us For "The Hanging of

the Greens" Christmas service at the Elba United Methodist Church this Sunday vening at 6:00 p.m. & for a Chili supper following in the church fellowship hall.



Round & About With Eria 897-2006



Southeast District Convention

Building, Elba. The theme will

The Hendersons along

with The Singing Dyess

Family to be in concert

at Country Cathedral

Country Cathedral, located on

U.S. Hwy. 84, East of Opp,

Sunday night, December 10th

The concert will begin at 6:00

p.m. There will be no admission

charge. Everyone is cordially

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LAWN CARE

December 9-10, from 7 p.m. Church is located on Heath SCRIPTURE: Matthew 11:1- December 8-9, 2006 at the

THINKING OF YOU, PRAY- be "Preparing for Warfare." Robert Belcher, Warren Belcher, Friday and 6:15 p.m. on

The South Alabama NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS (334) 493-7346, Adean Simsthe African Methodist Episcopal Ki) Belcher- November 26,

Oliver Allen, Pastor of Parks A "BANQUET OF PRAISE" Chapel AME Church in Dothan. will be held December 2, 2006 sions and a gala luncheon. Mrs. Claxton Ave.). The banquet will Mary Kirkland, Supervisor of be sponsored by Rev. Roderick the Women's Missionary Rideaux and The Anointed Society of the AME Church in Voices, For more information contact any member of The Anointed Voices.

HEAD invited to attend. President, Carolyn Cummings, CHURCH will hold Pastor comprised of missionaries from L. Caldwell, Associate Minister, over 50 AME Churches in the November 3, 2006 beginning at Wiregrass area, will serve as 4 p.m. at Rocky Head hosts for guests from throughMissionary Baptist Church.

> THE "SAINTS WITH A PURPOSE" ANNUAL CONFERENCE will be held

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Bible Study. 9:00 a.m.
Fellowship. 9:45 a.m.
Worship. 10:00 a.m.
Wed. Night (Youth Real Deal and Children's Activities 6:00 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
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Even. Service. 6:00 p.m.

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CHURCH

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SCHOOLS

by Melanie Mulara



the travel coordinator of CCYLP and an EHS Ambassador.

Yoyo also is involved in Sr. Beta, where she holds the office of Homecoming Chairperson. She attends Harris Temple Church Of God In Christ where she is an active youth member, In her free time Yoyo enjoys

stepping, spending time with her youth at church, writing short stories, and hanging out with friends and family. Her future goal is to attend UAB and become an OB/GYN. She said she picks this field because she thinks there will be nothing better than helping bring an individual into the world.

Yoquesha is a cool, laid-back person who is reasonable and forthright. She has been an excellent and hardworking addition to the Elbala staff.

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EHS seniors attend career fair mentary school's tea. Current The career representatives school employees were invited by Lauren McClung shared information and to attend. nterprise-Ozark Community was over, the seniors got the sciences department. The

Elba Elementary School

Menu

December 4 - 8, 2006

Tuesday - Pancake Pup Tuesday - Toasted Hoagie, Tater Tots,

Crisp, Milk

Wednesday - Breakfast Wednesday - Fishburger, Cole Slaw,

Thursday - Biscuit/Jelly, Thursday - Corndog, Turnips

Friday - Cheese Grits, Friday - Salisbury Steak, Mashed Toast & Jelly, Cereal, Potatoes w/ Gravy, Peas & Carrots,

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usage Patty, Cereal, Macaroni & Cheese, Combread, 1/2

Orange, Milk

Roll, Applesauce, Milk

lagel, Cereal, Juice, Milk Baked Beans, 1/2 Apple, Milk

w/ Syrup, Cereal, Juice, Lettuce, Tomato, Dill Pickles, Apple

PopTarts, Monday - Barbecue Sandwich, Baked Milk Potato, Okra, Sliced Peaches, Milk

BREAKFAST

Cereal, Juice, Milk

The students arrived at EOCC seniors from the area.

lecades of educators had the opportunity to take a stroll down memory lane and revisit their During the morning, both Elba High and Elba Elementary schools hosted teas for all

On Thursday, Nov. 2, the Elba answered any questions from The high school's tea was Current faculty members enjoy spending time with the retired ligh School seniors traveled to the students. After the career fair held in the family and consumer educators during the Retired Teachers Tea at Elba City Schools.

College (EOCC) to view differ opportunity to eat lunch in refreshments were prepared by cers Stephanie Sanders and that day, former and current Enterprise and met with other students taking family dynamics Justin Williams. and served by F.C.C.L.A. offi- Despite hazardous weather food and fellowship

This week's Journalism and saw a display of tables repSpotlight features Yoquesha resenting diverse careers from was an overall great learning Several FCCLA members participate in Aundria Terry. Yoquesha, or as her friends like to call her, Yoyo, is the 16-like to call her, Yoyo, is the

Elba City Schools holds Retired Teachers Tea

by Sydney Brunson

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Nov. 2, at the Houston County from Elba High School won awards: Tamika Hill - First Members of the Elba High Numerous schools participat- Place - Student Sewing; School FCCLA participated in ed, including schools from Tempest Parker - First Place the National Peanut Festival Alabama, Georgia and Florida. Cake Decoration; Kara Phillips Cooking Contest held Thursday, The following participants - Fifth Place - Candy Recipe contest; Tray Craighead Honorable Mention - Cookie Recipe contest; Mrs. Christina

Whitlock - Second Place -Professional Smocking contest. "Sewing is a lost art, and I am thrilled to have students win awards in sewing," said Christina Whitlock, Family and Consumer Science teacher. The students said they were all pleased with their performance but will prepare harder

Elba Elementary holds Superman Breakfast

next year to get better.

by Erica Daniels

On Tuesday, Nov. 14, Elba Elementary School held a uperman Breakfast from 7:15 Each child was encouraged to invite one male figure (father, step-father, uncle, brother, etc.) to breakfast on this day. The breakfast was provided by the P.T.O.

Teacher

Spotlight

by Ashton Rodriguez

This week's teacher spotlight

shines on Leigh Ryan. She is an

English teacher at Elba High

Mrs. Ryan obtained her degree

from Auburn University.

Although this is her first full

time job, she has previously

taught part-time at

Enterprise/Ozark Community

Mrs. Ryan is happily married to her husband, John, whom she

has three children, Morgan,

When asked what she does in

her spare time, she said she

enjoys playing the piano and

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FARM OF DISTINCTION...Helms Farms, a general partnership owned by Bob and Sonja Helms and INDUSTRY AWARD...Toledo Molding and Die, located in Elba, received the Industry Award. TMD Bozeman and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



their daughters Sally Pittman and Penny Helms, was recognized as the 2006 Farm of Distinction. The joined the Elba business community upon completion of the new manufacturing facility on the east side headquarters of the 3,000 acre farm is located south of Enterprise in the Mt. Pleasant community where of the Elba airport in February of 2004. The plant now provides jobs for over 150 people producing Helms grew up on his family's diversified farm. Accepting the award (above) on behalf of Helms Farms parts on five blow molding presses and 11 injection molding presses. Accepting the award (above) on is Bob Helms and his daughter Sally Pittman. The award was presented by Steve Wyrosdick, Steven behalf of TMD was Keith Regal. Presenters included Elba Mayor James Grimes, Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley and Elba Chamber of Commerce executive director Kaye Whitworth.



PEANUT AWARD...Andy Lavender received one of two peanut awards. His farm includes 100 acres of peanuts and 125 acres of cotton, all dryland. Lavender and his wife, Dixie, accepted the award from Carl



LIVESTOCK AWARD...Chris Cain Cutting Horses, owned by Chris and Jill Cain, received one of three livestock production awards. Cain established his business in 2003. Cain currently has 19 horses in training and manages approximately 1,000 head of stocker cattle yearly. Chris and Jill Cain along with their son, Cody, are shown above with Steven Bozeman and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



CONSERVATION AWARD...Mark Ward, a resident of the Ino community, was named the 2006 Outstanding Conservation Farmer for Coffee County. The award was presented by Mike Harris (left), and he said Ward received the honor because of his efforts in improving soil and water resources conditions on his farm by cross fencing, installing stream crossings and fencing cattle out of streams. Also shown are J.C. Ward and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



BROILER PRODUCER AWARD...The Wayne Farms Broiler Producer award went to Eric and Sydney Wilson of the New Hope community. Eric and Sydney recently closed down two poultry houses and upgraded the remaining four. Presenting the award to HEN PRODUCER AWARD...The Wayne Farms Hen Producer Commission Chairman Jim Thompson (center). Officials said the Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



BUSINESS AWARD...The Business Award was presented by Enterprise Chamber of Commerce officials to Ronnie Gilley Properties. The business is now the umbrella company for 17 different entities formed to cultivate Enterprise and employs more than 100 people from the Enterprise and surrounding areas with nearly 500 individuals working in a subcontractor capacity.



PEANUT AWARD...Richie Carr received one of two peanut awards, In 2003, Carr began working with Jimmy and Trey Martin as field crop supervisor on their 500 cow dairy farm. He feeds, administers vaccinations, performs artificial insemination, maintains cow records and many other dairy related tasks. He assists the Martins in growing crops such as peanuts, corn rye and hay. Carr, along with his wife Michelle and aughter Madelynn, accepted the award from Phillip Martin and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



LIVESTOCK AWARD...Doyle and Susan Barnes received one of three livestock production awards. The Barnes' current cow/calf operation consists of around 45 brood cows. Artificial insemination is used on most of the cows and heifers, and the use of embryo transfer began last year. Doyle Barnes is show above accepting the award from Steven Bozeman and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



COTTON AWARD...Charlie Sanders received the Cotton Award. Sanders said he has seen a pretty big shift from peanuts to cotton, and his family has steadily increased their cotton acreage over the law few years. He said some of that had to do with extending the rotation with peanuts. The award was presented by Carl Sanders (left) and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



Sydney Wilson (center) are Jamie Wyrosdick of Wayne Farms and award went to Wiley and Ann Vann, owners of Shore Creek Farms commission received the award because it has done so much for in the Jack community. They have been in the poultry business since Coffee County, and the commissioners are tireless advocates for the 1988 and have four pullett houses and two male houses. Presenting people of Coffee County. the award (above) to the couple are Greg Lay (left) of Wayne Farms and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.

> Wayne Farms Pullet Grower of the Year (No Picture): William and Carmaletta Hawthorne



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Kinston, Cecil and Brunetta Patterson and Max and Polly Patterson, was recognized as the Alabama State Farm Family by the Alabama Young and Adult Farmers Association. C & M Farms is a partnership between brothers Cecil and Max Patterson.



LIVESTOCK AWARD ... Goodson Farms, owned by Michael and Kelli Goodson, received one of three livestock production awards. They have approximately 20 herd of cows that Michael mostly artificially inseminates. He also farms and sells 10 acres of peas, corn and butterbeans as well as 30 acres of hay. Michael and Kelli have gour children, Hayden, Hunter, Hannah and Hillary. Also shown above are



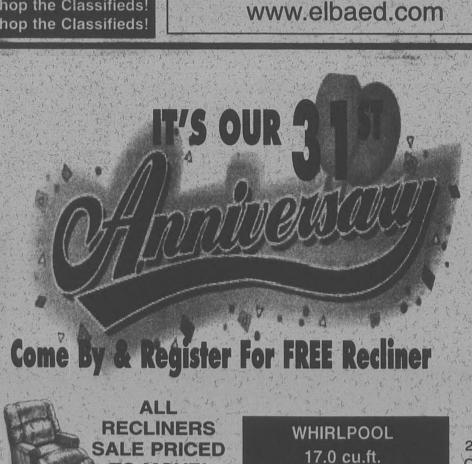
BROILER PRODUCER AWARD...The Pilgrim's Pride Broiler Producer of the Year award went to Rosdiks' Roost, owned by Steve and Laura Wyrosdick. During the last fiscal year, the farm performed with an average weight of 4.05 on 37.7 average flock age The farm's average feed conversion was 1.69 with 97 percent liability. Presenting the award above to Steve and Laura Wyrosdick, (left) are Jason Robinette of Pilgrim's Pride and Miss Coffee County Agriculture Jennifer Insley.



SPIRIT OF COFFEE COUNTY AWARD...The Coffee County Commission received the 2006 Spirit of Coffee County award. It was presented by members of the Elba Chamber of Commerce and Enterprise Chamber of Commerce and was accepted by



SERVICE AWARD...The Coffee County Emergency Management and Homeland Security received the 2006 Service Award. The office is charged to administer the functions of prevention, preparedness, response, recovery and mitigation to all residents of Coffee County. The award was presented to John Tallas, director,



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SPORTS

Views From

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor for the first time in tournament nament last Monday night and

Now that the holidays have officially started it means the Mularz the Gamecocks rolled past Zion The Gamecocks used a 24-point girls will leave the ad inserts from the newspapers laying around the Chapel and Samson to win the second quarter outburst to take a house for a few extra days, and I will have to pay special attention four-team event. when they drop hints about what they would like to get for New Brockton's Dadrian bulge, and never looked back as Christmas. So far they haven't cut any ads out of the papers, but Johnson was named the tourna- they rolled to the big win. they have been doing a lot of talking about how they needs things ment's "Most Valuable Player," Justin Flowers scored 18 like shoes, sweaters, sweat shirts, clothes and electronic devices. while named to the All-points to lead New Brockton, Okay girls, let's get the tree up and then I may get in the Christmas Tournament team were New while Courtney Foster added spirit and actually write a few things down.

FOR WHAT IT IS WORTH....

*** Coach Robbie Kinsaul continued his successful return to Kinston's Matt Whigham. New Brockton last week as he led the Gamecocks to the champi- The (4-0) Gamecocks opened N.B. (79): T. McNair 10, onship of the New Brockton/Southeast Sun Thanksgiving the tournament with an easy 79- Muhammad 12, A. McNair 7, Basketball Tournament and in the process saw his team improve its 32 win over Zion Chapel, then Foster 15, Griswold 2, Flowers record to 4-0. Coach Kinsaul graduated from Troy just two years defeated Samson 64-52 in the 18, Johnson 12. ago, spent his first season as a coach at the middle school ranks in finals to claim the title. Samson Z.C. (32): Lambert 6, Carter Opelika, and this season came back home and has led a renewed placed second in the annual 5, Geddings 4, Stephens 11, spirit in New Brockton basketball in just two short weeks. There are event, followed in order by Winters 4. a lot of games left on the schedule and there is little doubt Coach Kinston and Zion Chapel. Kinsaul and his Gamecocks will struggle at times. However, after Following are tournament CONSOLATION GAME: two weeks the marriage is going well and the honeymoon is still highlights

going strong.

*** The Brantley Bulldogs saw their dreams of an undefeated OPENING ROUND: season and a Class 1A state championship turn into a nightmare last weekend as the Bulldogs traveled to Maplesville and were stunned Samson 87 by the hometown Red Devils 25-14. Brantley came into the game Kinston 56 ready to play and showed more enthusiasm than it had in weeks, but The Samson Tigers pulled out impressive 75-41 win over the simply made too many mistakes to win against a very good oppo- to a big early lead and never Zion Chapel Rebels. Matt nent. The Bulldogs had two touchdowns nullified by penalties and looked back last Monday after. Whigham scored 24 points to saw two other drives stall after flags resulted in big losses that noon to claim a big 87-56 win lead the Bulldogs to the win, knocked them out of scoring position. Over on defense, the over the Kinston Bulldogs. The while Aaron Jacobs added 11 Bulldogs missed countless tackles on the corners that helped the Tigers jumped out to an 18-6 and Hunter Anderson scored 10. Red Devils sustain drives, and late in the game simply could not lead in the opening stanza to Zach Stephens scored 12 points stop Maplesville on its long game-winning drive. Former Elba Tiger take command early, then used a to lead Kinston. head coach Mack Wood always said that to win a state champi28-point third quarter explosion Individual scoring was not defender in the Gamecocks' run to the title last week in the New onship a team has to go on the road in the playoffs and survive on a to open up a 68-35 advantage as available. night a long way from home when it seems that nothing is going they rolled to the win. right. That was the case last Friday night, and for the Bulldogs their Shante Hill scored 18 points CHAMPIONSHIP GAME: road to the playoffs came to a dead end.

*** The third round of the state playoffs were unkind to a num- Diaz scored 13, Kaleb New Brockton 64 ber of highly-ranked teams as previously undefeated Donoho was Wimberly added 12 and Bradley Samson 52 eliminated 28-25 in Class 1A; Luverne saw its season end with a 48- Smith added 11. Hataway led The New Brockton second quarter, and began to Diaz, Shante Hill and Justin 16 setback to Houston Academy in Class 2A; previously undefeat- Kinston with 14 points to Gamecocks used a big second take charge as they connected Tisdale all scored 11 points to ed Montgomery Academy saw its season end with a 34-13 loss to
Winfield in Class 3A; Trinity saw its run to the title end with a 28
N.B. (64):

Winfield in Class 3A; Trinity saw its run to the title end with a 28
N.B. (64): 14 loss to Thomasville in Class 4; top-ranked Russellville was Tisdale 7, Carter 10, Davis 3, they rolled to a 64-52 win over New Brockton never let the McNair 9, Muhammad 2, A stunned 19-14 by region foe J.O. Johnson 19-14 in Class 5A; and Austin 7, Marsh 6. McGill-Toolen had its dream season end in a 38-7 setback to Kinston (56): Whigham 6, pionship game. New Brockton points in the third quarter, and Flowers 6, Johnson 14.

*** Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator called over the weekend and Anderson 4, Donaldson 12, and never led until late in the midway through the fourth 11, Hill 11, Wimberly 10, said that since the local teams had been eliminated he would leave Moss 2, Weeks 9, Edwards 1, first quarter, when Tevin quarter as the Gamecocks post- Tisdale 11, Austin 2, Thornton the final two weeks of playoff predictions to yours truly. Wow, this Wise 4, Sessions 1. should be fun. Oh well, here goes (Class 1A) Sweet Water 29 Maplesville 13, Cedar Bluff 22 Ragland 8; (Class 2A) Houston Academy 28 Leroy 7, Lineville 27 Woodland 22; (Class 3A) Pike Samson claims championship County 33 Winfield 26, Clay County 30 Susan Moore 12; (Class 4A) Thomasville 21 Andalusia 14, Alexandria 35 Guntersville 34; (Class 5A) UMS-Wright 17 Eufaula 15, Athens 20 J.O. Johnson 17; (Class 6A) Prattville 31 Opelika 14, Hoover 35 Vestavia Hills 28.

SCHEDULES

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

Kinston at Elba (4:30) JV-VG- 8B

Elba at Zion Chapel (4:30) JV- Kinston and Zion Chapel to Torie Hodge scored 16 points FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7 Elba at Luverne (4:30) JV-VG-

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Gamecocks hosted the 10th New Brockton 79 annual New Brockton/Southeast Zion Chapel 32
Sun Thanksgiving Basketball The New Brockton Tournament last weekend and Gamecocks tipped off the tourhistory the Gamecocks kept the coasted to an easy 79-32 win

Brockton's Alex McNair and 15, Dominique Muhammad 12, Justin Flowers, Samson's Simon Dadrian Johnson 12 and Tevin Diaz and Shante Hill, Zion McNair 10. Zach Stephens Chapel's Zach Stephens and scored 11 points to lead Zion

to lead Samson, while Simon

Zion Chapel 41

The Kinston Bulldogs claimed consolation honors last

McCrummen 3, Hataway 14, fell behind 6-0 early in the game led by as many as 15-points Samson (52): Smith 2, Diaz

pointer to put the Gamecocks Johnson both scored 14 points ahead 17-15. The Gamecocks to lead New Brockton, while continued their surge into the Alex McNair added 11. Simon

New Brockton's Alex McNair (20) drives past a Zion Chapel

Brockton/Southeast Sun Thanksgiving Basketball Tournament.

the Samson Tigers in the cham- Tigers get an closer than 11 McNair 11, Foster 7, Vasser 14.

Lady Rebels claim runner-up honors

McNair drilled a long three- ed the impressive 64-52 win. 1, Griffith 2, Marsh 2.

The defending state champion Brockton Lady Gamecocks 40-Samson Lady Tigers were 30, last Monday night. The expected to have an easy time Lady Rebels trailed 9-8 after taking home the title in last one quarter of play, but rallied in week's 10th annual New the second quarter to grab an Brockton/Southeast Sun 18-14 halftime advantage and Elba Jr. at Opp (4:30) 7B-8G. Thanksgiving Basketball then outscored the Lady Tournament, and the Lady Gamecocks 22-16 over the final Tigers did little to disappoint two quarters to pull away and Elba Jr. at Geneva (4:30) 8G- TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5 their fans as they rolled past claim the win.

> claim the tournament champi- to lead Zion Chapel, while Samson's Katie King was Muhammad both scored 7 named the tournament's "Most points for New Brockton. Elba Jr. at Fleeta (4:30) 8G-8B Valuable Player," while named Z.C. (40): Lewis 4, Taylor 2,

to the All-Tournament team Parrish 6, Hodge 16, Wilson 7, were Samson's Trianna Reeves Reeves 3, Mauldin 2. and Kaylie Clark, Zion Chapel's N.B. (30): Adams 7, Sawyer Erica Lewis and Torie Hodge, 4, Muhammad 7, Eubanks 2, Kinston's Kaliegh Sanders and Hutcherson 6, Meal 1, Dueitt 1, New Brockton's Hannah Dueitt. Largess 2. Following are tournament

OPENING ROUND: Kinston 25

The Samson Lady Tigers Tuesday afternoon by posting a pulled ahead early and then 57-33 win over the New pulled away late to defeat the Brockton Lady Gamecocks. The Kinston Lady Bulldogs 63-25, Lady Bulldogs got off to a slow start and led only 10-4 after one Lady Tigers used a big opening quarter of play, but outscored stanza to grab an early 22-7 New Brockton 43-9 over the lead, and outscored Kinston 34- next two quarters to open up a 10 in the second half to blow the 53-13 third quarter advantage,

game open and claim the big and coasted in with the win. Katie King scored 22 points points and Christie Whigham to lead Samson, while Trianna added 14 to lead Kinston, while Reeves added 15 and Kaylie Anna Sawyer scored 12 for New Clark scored 10. Kaliegh Brockton.

ond half to down the New as they claimed the tournament win.

Samson (63): King 22, Marlowe 8, Manning 4, Chance cious defense and a fast-paced Chapel. Reeves 15, Clark 10, Revels 6, 4, Tindell 3. Sams Chancellor 2, Milsap 8. Kinston (25): McCall 2, Dunaway 2, Hutcherson 4, and moved ahead 27-8 midway Milsap 2, Bess 2, Revels 4. Dean 6, Sanders 11, Whigham Dueitt 7, Largess 8. 2, Marlowe 4, Tindell 2.

Zion Chapel 40 New Brockton 30

CONSOLATION GAME: New Brockton 33 The Kinston Lady Bulldogs claimed consolation honors last

Alexa Adams and E.

Kaliegh Sanders scored 16

Zion Chapel 17 ter and pulled away in the sec- looked back last Tuesday night and rolled to the lopsided 53-17



Zion Chapel's Torie Hodge (2) traps a New Brockton Lady Gamecock along the baseline in opening round action in last week's (Photo by Mike Capps)

Sanders scored 11 points to lead Kinston (57): McCall 8, win over the Zion Chapel Lady to lead Samson. Torie Hodge Sanders 16, Whigham 14, Rebels. Samson used a tena- scored 12 points to lead Zion N.B. (33): Sawyer 12, 3 lead late in the first quarter, Reeves 12, Clark 6, Howell 12. Samson came out in the third 12, Reeves. quarter with a solid 29-11 advantage, bit wasn't satisfied and outscored the lady Rebels The Zion Chapel Lady Rebels The Samson Lady Tigers took 16-2 in the period to open up a pulled ahead in the second quar- command early and never 45-13 lead as they took charge

championship with a big 53-17 Katie King scored 15 points

offensive attack to open up a 19- Samson (53): King 15 through the second quarter. Z.C. (17): Taylor 4, Hodge

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SPORTS

Fall 25-14 to Maplesville

Bulldogs suffer third round knockout

By Greg Brunson yards to Thad Frazier and 29
Photos by Janet Brunson and yards to Jon Tyson helped the

fought 25-14 win.

Two possessions later, the Red by yet another penalty flag; how-

and once again headed down the John Andrews with 70 yards on Class 6A field, only to come away empty- 16 carries and Brad Pike with 66 handed. Pass completions of 12 yards on 13 totes.

Bulldogs reach the Maplesville 19-yardline, where Jonathan The Brantley Bulldogs saw Helms dropped off a screen pass their dreams of a return trip to to James Pittman that appeared Birmingham snuffed out Friday to go for a Bulldog touchdown. night at the hands of the The score was nullified by a Maplesville Red Devils, as the penalty; however, and moments home standing Devils scored later the Bulldogs saw another two touchdowns in the final scoring threat go by the board minute of play to claim a hard when on fourth down Jon ought 25-14 win.

Tyson's 13-yard pass completion
The two offenses rolled up big to Jeffery Daniels fell short of the

yardage early in the opening first down marker. quarter, only to be stopped short of the endzone. Brantley moved at its own 34-yardline after a to the Maplesville 20-yardline on Maplesville punt, and this time it the game's initial possession, took the Bulldogs only three only to hand the ball over on plays to get into the endzone. downs, while the Red Devils The touchdown came when drove to the Brantley 15-yardline James Pittman took a handoff up on their first series, where the the middle and rambled 59 yards Bulldogs' Justin Wright ended through the middle of the Red the drive with a fumble recovery. Devil defense. Marcus Owens The Brantley offense also drilled the extra-point, and with moved the ball on its second pos- 3:55 left in the third quarter

Brantley's James Pittman (5) waits to cut behind the block of session, and this time got on the Brantley was back on top 14-13. teammate Chris Booker (25) in action last week in the state high scoreboard, as two plays after the The Brantley defense rose up school football playoffs. Pittman gained 204 yards and scored 2 Maplesville turnover James to turn back a Maplesville drive touchdowns on 14 carries in the Bulldogs' 25-14 loss to Pittman took a handoff on a trap at the Bulldogs' 28-yardline midplay up the middle and raced 89 way through the fourth quarter, yards for a touchdown. Marcus and three plays later it appeared Owens kicked the extra-point the 'Dogs had taken control as and with 1:38 remaining in the Anthony Gulley broke loose on a first quarter the Bulldogs were 65-yard touchdown dash. The long scoring run was wiped out

> Devils put together a 10-play ever, and the Bulldogs were drive that covered 68 yards and forced to punt. eached the endzone. The score Maplesville regained possescame on a 1-yard plunge off right sion at its own 25-yardline after tackle by Brad Pike, and Nick a 46-yard punt by Brantley's Andrews booted the extra-point Landon Morgan, and put togethto pull the 'Devils even at 7-7 er an 11-play drive that broke with 4:25 remaining in the half. the hearts of the Bulldogs and

Brantley took the ensuing their fans. Brad Pike capped off Class 1A kickoff and faced to the the long scoring drive with a 2- Sweet Water (11-1) at Maplesville 25 Brantley 14 Maplesville 20-yardline yard touchdown run with :35 However, two penalties set the left on the clock, and while Cedar Bluff (12-1) at Ragland Sweetwater 55 Sunshine 0 Bulldogs back to the Red Devil Jeffery Daniels made a big stop (9-4) 40, and the scoring threat ended on a two-point conversion, when the Devils Rod Nix inter- Maplesville had regained the Leroy (11-2) at Houston Leroy 36 Lanett 16 cepted a Bulldog pass. lead at 19-14 with only seconds Academy (12-0) Maplesville reached into its left on the clock. bag of tricks on the game's next The Red Devils ended all (12-1)

play, as quarterback John Brantley hopes for a comeback Class 3A Andrews fired a backwards pass on the Bulldogs next play from Pike County (12-1) at Winfield Susan Moore 42 Leeds 21 o Marcus Wilson, who then scrimmage as Nick Andrews (12-1) pulled up and passed to Nick picked off a desperation Clay County (13-0) at Susan Pike Co. 42 Gordo 13 Andrews Andrews avoided a Brantley pass and returned the Moore (12-1) Bulldog defender near the side- interception 52 yards for a Class 4A lines, cut back across the field 'Devil score. The Bulldogs and raced 68 yards for a touch- broke through to block the down. Brantley's Jon Tyson extra-point, but it made little blocked the extra-point attempt, difference as Maplesville but with 1:49 remaining in the claimed the 25-14 win. half Maplesville had taken the James Pittman gained 204

The Brantley offense got on touchdowns to lead Brantley, track as the second half opened while Maplesville was led by

STATISTICS 1st Downs 31-234 Total Offense 5-11-3 Return Yds. **Fumbles Lost** Penalties-Yds.



Brantley's Anthony Gulley (8) stops a Red Devil runner short of the goal line on a two-point conversion late in the fourth quarter last week in playoff action.

STATE PLAYOFF REPORT

Maplesville (12-0)

Guntersville (12-1)

Alexandria (12-0) yards on 14 carries and scored 2 (13-0)

Woodland (11-2) at Lineville Woodland 14 Section 6

Thomasville (12-1) at Andalusia UMS-Wright (11-2) at Eufaula Eufaula 24 St. Pauls 20

Prattville (13-0) at Opelika (12-1) Opelika 27 Lanier 13 Vestavia Hills (11-2) at Hoover Prattville 38 McGill-Toolen 7.

Class 1A Cedar Bluff 28 Donoho 25 Ragland 13 Talladega Co. 7 Houston Ac. 48 Luverne 16

Class 3A Clay County 53 Colbert Co. 21 Winfield 34 Montgomery Ac. 13 Alexandria 38 Dora 19 Andalusia 16 Elmore Co. 14 Guntersville 37 East Limestone 7 at Thomasville 28 Trinity 14 Class 5A Athens 23 Hartselle 13

J.O. Johnson 19 Russellville 14 J.O. Johnson (10-3) at Athens UMS-Wright 23 Greenville 12 Hoover 37 Homewood 14 Vestavia Hills 49 Pelham 28

Thank you, Wiregrass Area!



Brantley Bulldog cheerleader Lynley Godwin keeps the Bulldog fans fired up on a cold night in Maplesville

Brantley's Jeffery Daniels (10) drags down a Red Devil runner for

a short gain in playoff action last week.

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> > Toy Safety Tips

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More than 3 billion toys and

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Remember that warning

labels and manufacturers'

instructions tell you how to use

and skateboards. If you give a

riding toy to a child, the gift isn't

complete without a helmet and

protective gear. Riding toys

should not be used near vehicle

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MISCELLANEOUS NEWS

For toy safety tips follow manufacturer's

More than 3 billion toys and them are very safe. But despite that fact, more than 155,000 children ages 14 and under Birmingham terminal. To be (including nearly 53,000 ages 4 considered, you must have a and under) are treated each year 11-30-1t? CDL-A DRIVERS: Expanding proven track record in the in emergency rooms for toy-

owner-operators. Remember that warning

Resumes will be accepted The gift isn't complete without a through Monday 12-4-06. For helmet and protective gear. DRIVER - CDL Training: \$0 confidential consideration, reply Riding toys should not be used PUBLIC LAND Auction, 1 down, financing by Central to: Jim Wilkins Decker Truck near vehicle traffic, stairs, swim-

realistic-looking toy guns are

Children's Hospital and Safe

* Use a small parts tester

or the cardboard tube from a roll

of toilet paper to identify chok-

ing hazards. Do not let small

children play with anything that

can fit into one of these cylin-

TAKE NOTICE that Letters of Administration having been granted to Diann Thomas, as Thence in a northeasterly direcgranted to Diann Thomas, as Administratrix of the Estate of tion along the northwest road Website: www.deckercompa- trical shock, burns or mechanideceased, on the 9th day of cal injury (such as pinched or cut fingers). Any toy with small parts must be labeled as a choking hazard if intended for ages 3 old. Hazardous art materials will be barred.

> /s/ Diann Thomas Personal Representative 11/16, 23, 30-CHG

ESTATE OF HEBER CLARK, DECEASED PROBATE COURT CASE NO: PC-06-066

Letters Testamentary of said to the undersigned the 9th day of November, 2006, by the Hon. William O. Gammill, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/ Betty C. Mosher Personal Representative 11/16, 23, 30-Pd.

ESTATE OF INEZ STONE,

PROBATE COURT CASE NO: PC-06-068

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned the 13th day of November, 2006, by the Hon. William O. Gammill, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee County, notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will

/s/ Joann S. Weeks Co-Personal Representative /s/ Roxie Ann S. Hudson

Co-Personal Representative 11/16, 23, 30-Pd. DECEASED PROBATE COURT

CASE NO: PC-06-069 notice is hereby given that all of the following: persons having claims against

/s/ Roger D. Wise Personal Representative 11/16, 23, 30-Pd.

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traffic, stairs, swimming pools For more information on this

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11/16, 23, 30 & 12/7-Chg

IN RE THE ESTATE OF:

CASE NO: PC-2006-016

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

CHUCK WESLEY THOMAS,

This notice will appear for four consecutive weeks beginning on November 15th 2006 and end-

A lot situated in the southwest each set. quarter of the northeast quarte of section 17, township 6 north, range 21 east being particularly bound and described as follows: commencing at the northwest corner of the southwest quarter

to a point on the northwest right

Each bidder must deposit with

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11-23,30 & 12-7chg.

South Crenshaw County Water

P.O. Box 152 8338 Brantley Highway Brantley, AL 36009

Construction of Water System cussed. Well Power, Mt. Ida and Bullock Sites, Contract No. 2 - 500,000 Tank, Mt. Ida Site, and Contract 36351 Site, will be will be received by Authority at the office of the South Crenshaw County Water Letters Testamentary of said Authority until 10:00 AM Local

Sites consists of a 500 gallon per minute deep well water supgenerator, SCADA/Telemetry system, associated piping, secution; and other appurtenances.

2000-1 by Instrument recorded The Contract Documents may in said Probate Court records; be examined at the following

good and reusable condition will be refunded his deposit, and any

reject any or all bids.

2000-1Holder of said South Crenshaw County Water Authority

Tribe to meet

Water Storage Tank, Bullock Cell number (334)449-0607, University officials.

with a standby generator,

payment of a \$75.00 deposit for

Judge of Probate.

Notice is hereby given that all persons have claims against the said Estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be between th

November 27, 2006 11-30, 12-7,14chg

MaChis Lower Creek Indian

There will be a Sunday, should include the following: A O. Box 240669, Montgomery, December 3rd covered dish letter of recommendation from AL 36124-0669. The deadline www.outdooralabama.com. meeting of the MaChis Lower the officer's department head or for nominations is Friday. Creek Indian Tribe of Alabama at the Tribal Church, 2284 supervisor; A brief summary of December 8, 2006. Geneva County Road 5, is scheduled for 2:00 p.m.

Scholarships will be dis- for fall term of Any questions or concerns, Contract No. 1 - 500 GPM Deep contact Chief James Wright at: Troy University's worldwide trend," Dr. Hawkins said. "This 525-bed residence hall complex

Bencze, on Thursday, December Default having been made in the rity fence and site improvements 7 at 7:30 p.m. Before his for an existing well site; a stand- appointment as artist in resiof fine arts at Wallace portrait of the world-renowned opera star. Following the dedisolely in its capacity as Trustee, under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated March 1, 2000, Home Equity Loan Asset and other necessary appurte- ance of the Broadway comedy Butterflies are Free.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS

Wild underground caves in Alabama

ful verdant forests, rivers and edge of caves. The NSS is the myotis bat, the little brown bat, ground - its caves and karst sys- An organization affiliated with for shelter and for dens. Many tems. Karst refers to a landscape the NSS is the Alabama Cave birds, such as the cliff swallow According to the ACS, there are In a recent status assessment of

Alabama has one of the high- over 4,100 known caves in wildlife in Alabama, caves and est densities of caves and karst Alabama and the ACS has cave systems ranked third of six the state has a particularly high more are reported to the group. wildlife. Sauta, Key and Fern of limestone, formed over mil- and cave conservation. lions of years by the deposition Because a cave usually has benefit of their endangered bats of innumerable calcareous constant environmental condi- and/or cavefish. his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the condi-form and subject to the condi-

ways that cut through the area's adapted to dwell in caves, include the Alabama State Parks mountains and hills. Most of the including several species of fish, of Cathedral Caverns and When enough material has been considered endangered species. light the cave environment and dissolved away, a cave is Alabama caves are habitat to the beautiful cave formations

Ala. Retail Association announces nominations are being learn about paleoman's use of

The Alabama Retail accomplishments and performaccepted to recognize one of law enforcement responsibili- and advanced caver. Find out Alabama's outstanding law ties; Any supporting documen- more about NSS at:

federal law enforcement agency ment officials.

no accident that the national else in the world but this one National Monument is also an caves, though access is restrict-

Wells Fargo Bank Minnesota, No bidder may withdraw his bid within 90 days after the actual its capacity as Trustee, under the Pooling and Servicing Agreement dated March 1, 2000, Home Equity Loan Asset.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 90 days after the actual enforcement officers with the tation, such as letters of recommendation, or newspaper clippings.

"Law Enforcement Officer of the Year," or LEO Award. The pings.

LEO Award winner will be chosen from nominated line officers in the selection of the LEO win-"Law Enforcement Officer of mendation, or newspaper clip- While exploring caves may not be everyone's "cup of tea," LEO Award winner will be cho- This information will be used everyone should appreciate the sen from nominated line officers in the selection of the LEO win-recreational, aesthetic and ecofrom local police departments, ner. The selection committee logical value of Alabama's wild

from local police departments, ner. The selection committee underground. sheriff's offices, Alabama state will be made up of retailers and The Alabama Department of troopers and any other state or active and retired law enforce- Conservation and Natural Resources promotes wise stew-Retailers rely heavily on the ardship, management and The award will be presented cooperation and assistance of enjoyment of Alabama's natural Tuesday, January 23, 2007, at local law enforcement in pro- resources through five divithe Capital City Club in viding safety, security and sup- sions: Marine Police, Marine Montgomery. Individuals who port for their business. Resources, State Parks, State would like to nominate a deserv- Nominations may be sent to the Lands, and Wildlife and ing law enforcement officer Alabama Retail Association at P. Freshwater Fisheries. To learn

established and managed for the

Kinston, Alabama. The meeting Troy University enrollment up 4 per cent is scheduled for 2:00 p.m.

a 4 percent increase over fall dent service."

South Crenshaw County Water Email machis@centurytel.net. The final headcount enroll- are paying off, according to Dr. Enrollment Management, said ment for fall 2006 is 28,255 stu- John Schmidt, Senior Vice the enrollment increase can be dents, compared to 27,104 Chancellor for Student Services, attributed in part to continued Campus mirrored the worldwide "We have an aggressive, support."

Well Water Supply and Standby MaChis Lower Creek Indian enrollment topped 28,000 for is reflection of our commitment under construction on the Troy Tribe of Alabama, Post Office the first time in University his- to provide high-quality academ- Campus will enhance recruiting Gallon Elevated Water Storage Box 7, New Brockton, Alabama tory for fall term 2006, marking ic programs and excellent stu-efforts for 2007. He said residence halls are filled to capacity ESTATE OF JACK C. WISE, No. 3 - 300,000 Gallon Elevated Telephone (334)894-0127, term 2005, according to The enrollment growth for fall 2006. affirms that recruitment efforts Buddy Starling, Dean of

enrolled worldwide for fall term He said the potential for future focus on "strategic enrollment" 2005. The increase on the Troy growth is also promising. coupled with "strong marketing numbers, as enrollment in Troy effective team in enrollment "We have been successful in was up more than 5 percent. management that is dedicated to broadening our base of tradi-Dr. Jack Hawkins, Jr., telling the Troy University tional students by reaching out said estate are hereby required to present the same within time allowed by law or the same will well Power, Mt. Ida and Bullock for this fall continues a pattern. "We have been successful in areas although we always focus for this fall continues a pattern "We have been successful in areas, although we always focus

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Hungarian Opera and taught at erally accepted accounting principles in the United States, were reported recently as follows: Nine Months Ended September 30, 200:

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PUBLIC NOTICES

Bullard Excavating, Inc. hereby gives notice of completion of contract with Project No. NHF-0012(506) Coffee & Covington Counties, Base & Pavement, Partial Grade & Drain on SR 12 (US 84) from CR 30 to west of SR 141 west of Elba.

This notice is hereby given that the undersigned as holder of said mortgage will under power of said mortgage. Brantley Highway, Brantley, Alabama 36009; and at the office of Hudson Engineering, the highest bidder, during legal of said on the 18th day of December, 2006, at the front door entrance of the Courthouse solutions:

This notice is hereby given that the undersigned as holder of said mortgage will under power of said mortgage. Brantley, Highway, Brantley, Biologist

By: M. Keith Hudson, Wildlife
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When many people think of the natural beauty of Alabama the mind's eye imagines beaution, exploration, and knowleave the minders of the National Speleological Society (NSS) is arguably one of the, if not the, Biologist

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Street, Elba, Alabama described in Documents may be obtained at the office of Hudson beach. However, Alabama has "grottos," which explore caves the same property described in 1710 Montgomery Highway, another tremendous natural through recreational caving, of wildlife will use the "twilight the above referred to mortgage:

Iakes teeming with wildlife, or perhaps a favorite white-sanded or regional caving groups, or the Southern cavefish and the office of Hudson beach. However, Alabama another tremendous natural through recreational caving, of wildlife will use the "twilight the above referred to mortgage:

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> Any unsuccessful bidder, upon pockmarked with sinkholes, Survey (ACS), a group that sur- and barn owl, regularly utilize returning such set within ten caves, and underground veys and maps Alabama caves. cave openings in which to nest days of the date of the bid in streams.
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> According to the ACS, there are In a recent status assessment of of the northeast quarter of section 17, township 6, range 21; thence south 48 degrees 53 deposit charges. non-bidder upon so returning est densities of caves and karst. Alabama and the ACS has cave systems ranked third of six such a set will be refunded his features found anywhere in the mapped about a quarter of those. terrestrial habitats in terms of deposit less any shipping world and the northern part of In most years, several dozen importance to imperiled The owner reserves the right to number Much of north Alabama The NSS also contains groups Caves in north Alabama, are waive any informalities or to is underlain with deep deposits who specialize in cave rescue small national wildlife refuges

Chuck Wesley Thomas, deceased on the 9th day of feet to the point of beginning to Bidders.

These gray limestone physical conditions, several caves easily available to the deceased on the 9th day of feet to the point of beginning to Bidders. deceased, on the 9th day of November, 2006, by the also the southeast comer of the Each bidder must be licensed as Honorable William O. Gammill, Wade Parker lot); thence in a a Contractor in the State of

> northeasterly direction along a required to pre-qualify. line parallel with the northwest right of way line a distance of 147.5 feet to a point; thence in a southeasterly direction along a line perpendicular to the road line perpendicular to the right of way a distance of 295 2 is funded in part by a disaster northwest Georgia, or the TAG tains the endangered Alabama lagmites and other unique cave feet, more or less, to a point on recovery grant from the Alabama region as cavers refer to it. It is cavefish that is found nowhere formations. Russell Cave the northwest right of way line; thence in a southwesterly direction along the road right of way a distance of 147.5 feet, to the Community Affairs, Project Number DR-05-003.
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> Attention of bidders is particular-

> point of beginning. Said sale is made for the purbe observed and minimum wage pose of paying the said indebtedness and the expenses incident to this sale, including a readent to this sale, including a reathe Alabama Retail accomplishments and performAssociation recently announced ance; Outstanding or significant offers opportunities for exploring "wild" caves for the novice

of way line of Coffee County

paved road No. 25, said point of

Mobile, AL 36609

Advertisement for Bids

Authority

Separate sealed Bids for the

deceased having been granted to the undersigned the 13th day of November, 2006, by the Hon.

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that reaches back over a decade. attracting new students to our a great deal of attention on our "We were the fastest growing traditional campus in Troy, but home base," Starling said. "We SCADA/Telemetry system, in Dothan, Ala., will dedicate university in Alabama during we are also seeing increases in have also added a recruiter in associated piping, security fence and site improvements for a proovated Cherry Hall to former pleased that our growth rate students."

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Pictured LTC. (Ret) Raymond Bosworth, San Antonio, Texas; "It is truly an honor to be chosen Colonel Windy Martinson, Medical Services Corps Garrison as Teacher of the Year at Commander, Fort Sam Houston Texas; and Colonel James Nichols, Seminole County Middle/High

LTC.(ret.) James Nichols attends Medical Service town of Elba, Alabama. My Corps reunion at Ft. Sam Houston Texas

recently attended a Medical to attend rotary wing flight, farm started by my father some Service Corps reunion at Ft. school and neither had prior fly- twenty years ago has now Sam Houston, Texas. Also at ing experience. Colonel become a purebred Brangus the reunion was his best and old- Nichols graduated number one operation. Growing up on a during World War II, Bosworth awarded only to those Medical Education." from New Hampshire and Service Corps pilots that flew "After graduation, my first

Through the years, they helicopter/ambulance config- County. I truly believe that it crossed paths many times in used with external litter pods. was God's will for my wife and ARRIVAL Korea, at the U. S. Army The litter pods were used to me to move to the community. Aviation Test Board at Fort transport U. S. military patients My wife is Heather (Dubose) Rucker, Viet Nam and several between 1952-1959. Colonel Smith and she is a charge nurse ADISON-GRACE tours at Fort Sam Houston, Bosworth and Colonel Nichols at Donalsonville Hospital. We MISHELLE LEWIS Texas, one replacing the other also became Master Army have one daughter, BethAnn, on many of their assignments. Aviators in 1968. They were among the very first

Smith selected Teacher of The

Dusty Smith has been selected as the Seminole County, Ga., Middle/High School Teacher of

Mr. Smith has the following o contribute on his selection. School for the 2006-07 school year. I grew up in the small mother is a sixth grade teacher and my father is a retired oil rig LTC. (ret.) James Nichols Medical Service Corps officers technician. The small cattle

solo missions in a teaching job was in Seminole who is 17 months old. We are truly blessed to live in a county with so many good people that believe in education and agriculture. I really enjoy teaching in Seminole County and it is hard to believe that it has already been seven years since I started. I am extremely proud to have been chosen by my peers for this

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Fort Sill, Oklahoma at the Army Rucker.

School and then attended The scouts will be hosting a huge sale on Saturday, from 8:00 am until 2:00 pm on the square in down-

Helicopter Flight Training Recently, they were awarded Enterprise State Junior College town Elba. Clothes, Christmas décor, household items, mattress and box springs, furniture and much School. They had both previ- the "Solo Flight Medallion" for two years, after which I more will be available. Donations are welcome and tax deductible. All proceeds will be used to beneously served in the U. S. Navy (shown in the photo). It is transferred to Auburn University fit the scouts' Elba community service projects in the coming year.

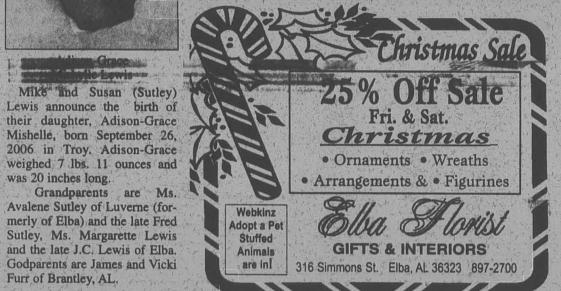
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tection from influenza. Please vaccinated.

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departments are expected to sustained regional activity withhave more than 100,000 doses in two areas of the state, the of influenza vaccine available Mobile-Baldwin county area statewide. These doses repre- and southeast Alabama. The sent the final shipments on CDC recommends vaccinations orders placed by the department. for anyone who wants to Flu clinics in county health decrease the risk of influenza, departments will be held the While anyone can get influenza weeks of Nov. 27-Dec. 1 and those with chronic illnesses and Dec. 4-8. Usually influenza disease in Alabama peaks in the risk for complications. In addimonths of January and tion, those in close contact with February, so being vaccinated in these high-risk persons are also December is not too late for pro- at increased risk and should get



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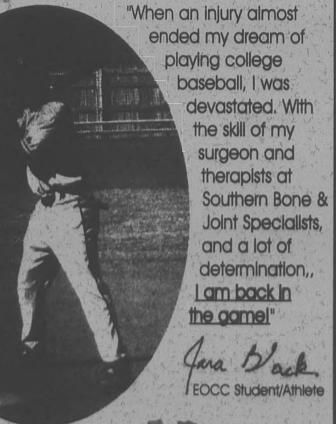
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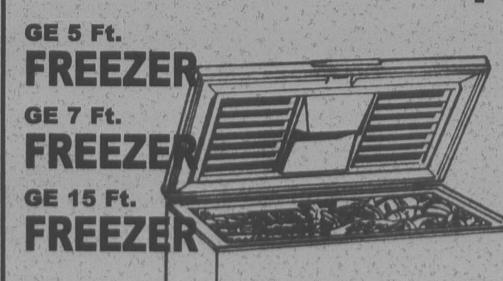
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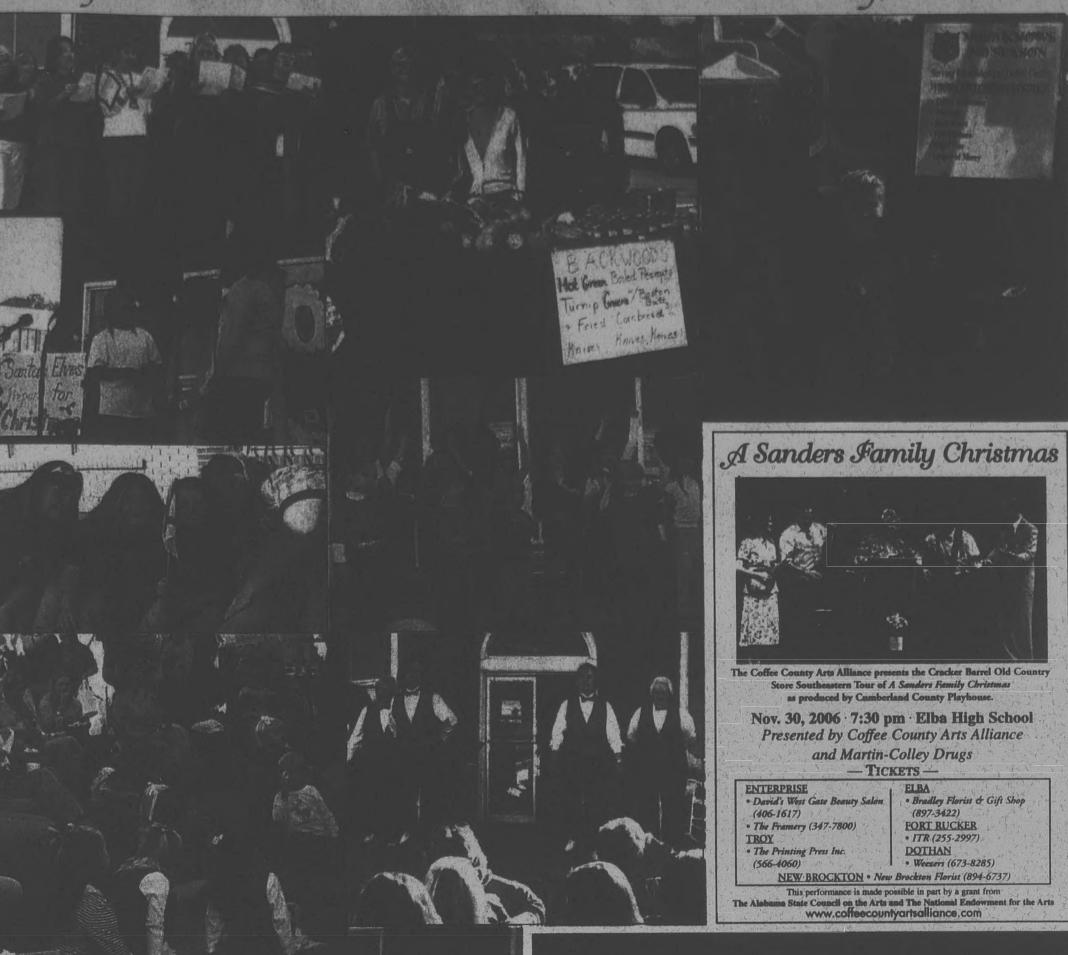
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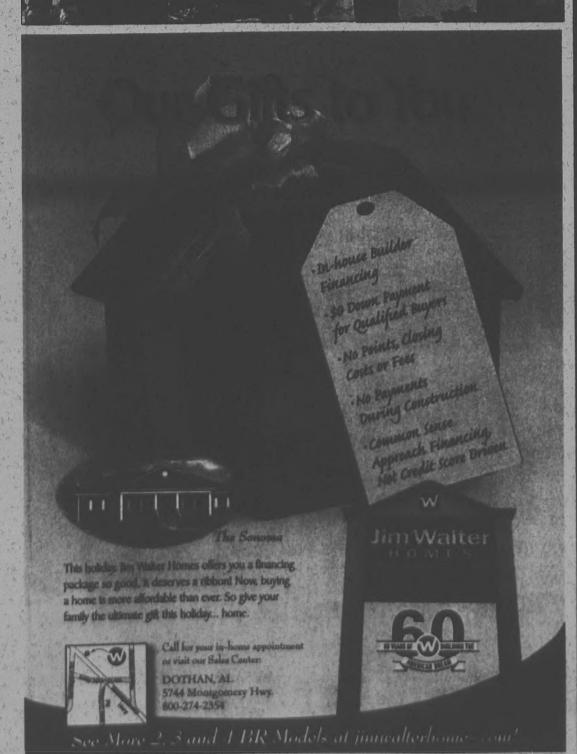
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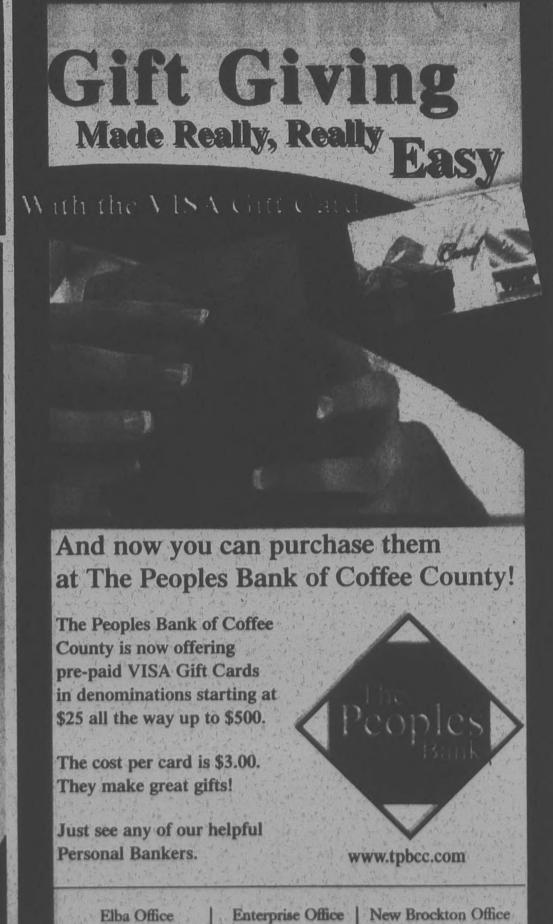
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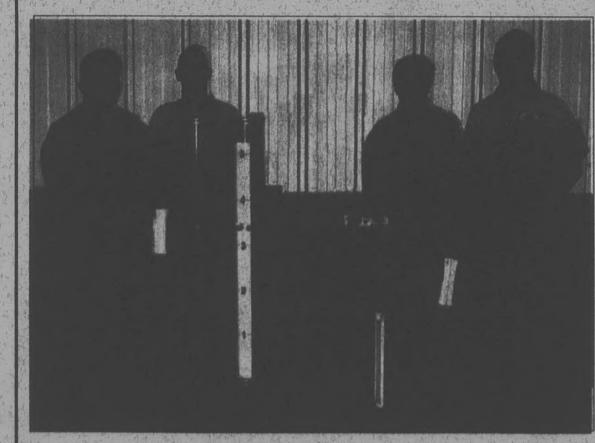
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